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ANNOUNCEMENT.
 We are authorized to announce
BUCKNER LEAVELL
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Registration days
June 3, 4, 10 and 11.

Geo. Burroughs will issue the first number of his new Republican paper at Bowling Green this week.

Of all the prominent Democratic candidates for President, Gray is the only rank free silver man among them.

The Blaine boom now has the right of way and all other boomlets, including that of Harrison, are side-tracked.

Gov. McKinney has appointed Gen. Epps Hunt to succeed the late Hon. John S. Barbour as United States Senator from Virginia.

The losses from high water in the Southern States are estimated to be \$36,000,000 in six states. Many lives have also been sacrificed.

Blaine has been pitching so many winks around within the last few days that he has found it necessary to convene an oculist to keep his eyes in repair.

Up to May 26 the instructed vote in Tennessee in the gubernatorial race was for Turney 496, for Buchanan 232. About half the counties have held conventions.

Great preparations have been made for the "Anti-Hill" convention at Syracuse to-day. The larger the gathering the bigger will be the mistake made by the Cleveland men.

The Republican Convention meets at Minneapolis next Tuesday and the indications point to the nomination of Blaine and Lincoln. Ben Harrison's picture is already turned to the wall.

The Clarksville Tobacco Leaf-Chronicle has shown commendable enterprise of late by giving a first rate telegraphic service covering the cream of the news of Kentucky and Tennessee.

The Governor has signed the separate coach bill, but as it had no emergency clause the law will not take effect until 90 days after the final adjournment of the present legislature, some time next year.

Kansas was visited by a destructive cyclone Friday. At Wellington 20 persons were killed, at Argonia 7 and at Harper 6. Scores were injured by falling houses and the property losses will be enormous.

Mr. Pettit's friends are already engaged in trying to explain that gentleman's votes against the World's Fair appropriation and separate the coach bill, also his attempt to have a second class car set apart for poor people regardless of color.

The Swift comet is now visible at 3:30 o'clock a. m. near the constellation Pegasus. It is gradually getting further away and when it has disappeared will never return to this system. It has eight tails and in that respect is a record-breaker.

Five of the 25 delegates from Kentucky to the Chicago convention are editors, viz: Henry Watterson, W. B. Haldeman, R. C. Walker, Chas. M. Meacham and G. A. Denham. F. D. Spotswood who was a candidate for delegate missed the first place but is an alterate.

Gen. Buckner was the worst disappointed man in the Louisville convention. He headed the Cleveland or bust faction and the result was that he was defeated for delegate in his own district and his name was not even presented for delegate at large, although the Cleveland men had slated him for a place before Bronston's knock-out.

Charlie Meacham, of the Kentuckian, comes under that class of editors, who honor are thrust upon. He has recently been made President of the greatest editorial association on earth in addition to his new honor as delegate to Chicago. Both compliments worthily bestowed. Elkhon Progress—As we have received no bill for the new line "reader" above, we have concluded that Bro. Gaines intended it to be a free "write up," and therefore take this public way of expressing our thankful appreciation.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally, in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer the hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The State Democratic Convention met at Liederkranz Hall in Louisville last Wednesday and was called to order by Gen. Castleman, chairman of the State Central Committee.

The first vote was a clean-cut issue between the Cleveland-or-bust men and the no-instructionists. The Cleveland men, over confident, forced the fight. They nominated Hon. C. J. Bronston, of Lexington, for temporary chairman, with the broadest kind of an announcement that he was for Cleveland and nobody else. The other side nominated Chas. R. Long, of Louisville, and it was conceded that it was a contest for and against instructions for the ex-President.

Mr. Long received 427 and Mr. Bronston 290 votes, the Second district voting almost solidly for Long. The usual committees were appointed and after an hour or two of speeches the Convention adjourned till after supper to give the committees time to meet. Speeches were made by Mr. Watterson, Congressman Brockridge and others. At night Mr. McKenzie responded to loud calls in one of his best efforts.

Early in the evening the Committee on Permanent Organization reported, recommending Congressman Jas. B. McCreary for Chairman, and Jas. E. Stone for Secretary. The report was adopted by a viva voce vote.

The Committee on Credentials reported only one contest, which was in Kenton county. Their report seating the Myers delegation, which had the prima facie case, was adopted without serious opposition.

The Resolutions reported late in the session and adopted unanimously were as follows:

"The Democracy of Kentucky, in convention assembled, declare:

"First—That we indorse and reaffirm the principles of the Democratic National platform of 1888.

"Second—That we condemn the principles and measures of the Republican party, as exemplified in its iniquitous tariff legislation, its advocacy of the infamous Force bill, its extravagant pension laws, wastefulness of the public funds, class legislation and centralization. And in striking contrast with these dangerous measures, we indorse the Democratic idea of tariff reform and economical government, whereby the great mass of people would be relieved of unjust burdens of taxation.

"Third—We demand a sound and stable currency composed of or redeemable in gold and silver coin. We declare it to be the mission of the Democratic party to preserve the parity in value of gold and silver dollars, and to provide the means by appropriate legislation for the free coinage of silver without detriment to any business interest and to the great relief of our overtaxed and debt-ridden people. We denounce the Republican party for the demonetization of silver, and denounce its subsequent legislation in regard to silver coinage as delusive and deceptive, intended to benefit the clamors of the silver-producing section without regard to the interests of the country at large, and declare our solemn conviction that intelligent and patriotic legislation upon this important subject can only be expected when the Democratic party shall secure the control of the legislative and executive departments of the Government.

"That we heartily indorse the Democratic administration of Grover Cleveland, as President of the United States, which administration demonstrates that the Democratic party and its leaders are worthy of the full confidence and support of the American people.

"Fifth—That our delegates to the National Convention go un instructed, except to use their best endeavors for the success of the Democratic party and its principles."

The Districts held their conventions and selected the following delegates in the morning, which action was ratified by the Convention:

First—T. E. Moss, R. C. Walker.

Second—Chas. M. Meacham R. A. Miller.

Third—John S. Rhea, W. A. Helm.

Fourth—B. F. Beard, B. L. Litsy.

Fifth—W. B. Haldeman, W. J. Abraham.

Sixth—T. C. Terrill, R. F. Harrison.

Seventh—C. J. Bronston, Wm. Lindsay.

Eighth—C. H. Rhodes, J. A. Sullivan.

Ninth—Waller Sharpe, J. H. Northing.

Tenth—J. P. Salyer, J. M. Robertson.

Eleventh—O. H. Waddle, G. A. Denham.

The Convention elected the following four delegates-at-large: Henry Watterson, Jas. A. McKenzie, W. C. Owen, Jas. B. Castleman.

Mr. Watterson was nominated by Will Cox, of Warren, and he concluded a ringing speech by moving that Mr. Watterson be elected by acclamation and the motion was carried by a rising vote, amid great enthusiasm, a feeble opposition being led by Capt. Tom Bell and Capt. Tom Marcum.

On the first ballot, W. C. Owen received 473 votes and Jas. A. McKenzie 401 and both were declared elected. Gen. Castleman, who lacked only a few votes, was elected on the second ballot over Hon. Bill Reed, of Marshall, who received about 300 votes.

The last delegate was elected at 1 o'clock Thursday morning and the convention rushed the balance of its business through and adjourned at 2 a. m.

The alternate delegates at large are W. A. Reed, W. H. Anderson, W. G.

Welch and J. R. Hindman.

The electors for the State at large are Claude M. Thomas and W. R. Kinney. Alternates, S. S. Savage and Rollin Hunt.

The electors and assistants are as follows:

First District—Charles L. Wheeler, John W. Ray.

Second—John B. Lockett, Ward Headley.

Third—J. B. Richardson, J. M. Covington.

Fourth—Wilbur F. Hayward, Thomas W. Sims.

Fifth—John B. Baskin, Wallace Mackoy.

Sixth—John T. Hodge, Perry E. Cason.

Seventh—J. A. Scott, Richard Godson.

Eighth—J. M. Rathwell.

Ninth—W. G. Dearing, J. L. Morgan.

Tenth—J. C. Lykins, O. H. Polard.

Eleventh—N. B. Hays, Henry Beauchamp.

Alternate delegates were also announced, those from this district being Henry C. Dixon and Hop H. Holman.

Still On the Swing With the N. E. A.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., May 17, '92.—After a day of unusual pleasure at Coronado Beach the editors were apprized of the fact that they must leave at 11:30 p. m. Monday during the day excursions were made into Mexico, and for the first time most of the party set foot upon this historic soil. Excursions on the bay and a grand ball wound up the festivities. An ostrich farm located on the beach was visited by many and the huge bird was seen in his native state.

San Diego, just across from Coronado Beach, was the scene of a great deal of activity three or four years ago, but at present seems to have revived but little since the collapse. But while there is not much noticeable growth, still with the climate and salt water advantages it must necessarily become a place of more importance. It has fine business blocks, wide streets, and as handsome a court house as can be found in the State. The citizens were most generous, offering the freedom of the city.

At 7 a. m. we arrived at Riverside, the garden spot of California, where breakfast was taken at the different hotels, following which was a reception at the Opera House and then a drive over the beautiful streets which lead over the entire valley, chief of which was Magnolia avenue.

Among all the famous drives of California none has such natural beauty and attractiveness as the widely known Magnolia avenue, of Riverside. It was laid out on a broad and generous scale, being 150 feet wide, set down the middle with stately pepper trees, and lined on either side with graceful palms, fern like grevilleas, and giant blue gums. Mile after mile of this truly magnificent boulevard is flanked with rich orange groves and profitable raisin vineyards, while from among the trees and vines of profit and the semi-tropic shrubs of beauty the splendid homes of wealthy and cultured people are shown in abundance.

Magnolia avenue is about 15 miles long, beginning at a point some three miles below the village proper, passing through the heart of the rich and fertile valley, on across green alfalfa fields, terminating at length at the very foot of the Temescal Mountains. The ride down this avenue, when the air is sweet with the odor of orange blossoms and young lemon leaves, under the graceful foliage of peppers and eucalyptus, breathing the delicious air of this charming California valley, is something never to be forgotten, and will long be remembered by the members of the press. The writer has been all over Florida but there is nothing that came under his observation to be compared with the surroundings and adaptability of the land of the Riverside valley to orange culture. The grounds are more fertile than those of Florida and have the advantage of a splendid system of irrigation.

The party left at 11 a. m. for Redlands but did not expect to see so formidable a rival of Riverside as pertains to location and advantages. Redlands lies at the eastern end of the great valley of the Upper Santa Ana. The boundaries of the city include 17 square miles of the richest and best soil in the State for orange growing. It has a population of 3,000 and has a steady growth. The entire party was driven through the wide streets and ascended to the beautiful park so tastefully laid out and beautified by the Smiley Brothers, and which is only in its incipient grandeur with its terraces covered with every variety of flowers. During the drive, houses were passed almost enveloped by the climbing roses which shed their sweet fragrance with pleasing effect. Soon after leaving Redlands a stop was made to receive floral offerings from Mrs. J. C. Lynch, of North Camanoga, and a liberal supply of native wine was put aboard by the Camanoga Vineyard Co., which was declared to be of the best variety. We have just passed by "Lucky" Baldwin's stock farm, who has a world wide reputation as a race horse man. He is a millionaire and gave to the course the fastest race horse the world has ever known.

The train pulled into Los Angeles at 6:30 Tuesday evening, and after supper the entire party were entertained at the Chamber of Commerce, where floral displays were profuse, and where all the varieties of fruits and nuts native to the state were

bounteously offered to be partaken of together with a plentiful supply of liquid refreshments. A program of music was also arranged. The next morning at 9 a. m. the party met at the Park where vehicles were in waiting for a drive. The line was led by an old fashioned stage coach drawn by three white and three black horses, followed by three mountain coaches, drawn by four horses each. A bugle announced the coming of the line of drive. There were in line about 300 vehicles. Frequently along the line flowers were offered the occupants, and every building waved a welcome. After the drive to all principal parts of the city the guests were handsomely entertained at lunch by Judge Silent. It was indeed a task to entertain 500 people, but the unbounded hospitality of this California gentleman was equal to all emergencies. The afternoon was taken up by excursions to Redondo Beach and to Pasadena. Upon the return of the party from Pasadena the entire train had been turned into a flower train, compelling them to return in a veritable flower garden. Our stay in Los Angeles could not have been more delightful. Los Angeles a most prosperous and thriving city, in 1880 was only a semi-Mexican town of 11,000 people, and she boasts upward of 50,000. There are 90 miles of graded and graveled streets, and most of the paving is asphaltum. The value of buildings erected in the last ten years is not less than ten million dollars. The chief charm of Los Angeles to the visitor from colder climates is the rare beauty of the grounds on which are situated the tasteful homes of the citizens. The mildness of the climate here permits the most delicate plants and trees to flourish throughout the winter. There is a great future ahead of this city.

NOTES.
 I forgot to mention having met Mr. S. B. Dickens and wife at Manitou, Col., who were former residents of Hopkinsville.

Mr. Frank M. Coulter, of the Board of Commerce of Los Angeles, met us out from the city and gave us a hearty welcome. He was a former resident of Clarksville and is well known in Hopkinsville.

We were presented at Riverside with samples of pure tin from Temescal Mine, located 12 miles from Riverside.

At San Diego Mrs. John F. Brown and daughter called to see us. They were formerly residents of Hopkinsville and were glad to see Kentuckians.

Col. Gano Henry greeted us at Los Angeles. He looks as natural as ever. At Fresno, Judge Jas. B. Campbell and wife, and Miss Addie Bell received us with friendly greetings and sent many messages to old Hopkinsville friends.

Durrott Moore, an old Hopkinsville boy, who now lives in Los Angeles, was glad to see so many Kentuckians.

W. A. W.

Geo. H. Towery, Republican, and Harvey Bourland Third party, are the candidates Hon. John F. Lockett, the Democratic nominee for district elector will have to meet in debate. These gentlemen in addition to having made causes to depend will find themselves out-closed by the gifted young orator from Henderson. Judge Lockett is a nephew of Hon. John W. Lockett, of the same place, and a much younger man. His assistant is Mr. Ward Headley, an elegant young lawyer of Madisonville, who is not 21 years of age but who has heretofore proven himself to be more than a match to "Uncle Harvey."

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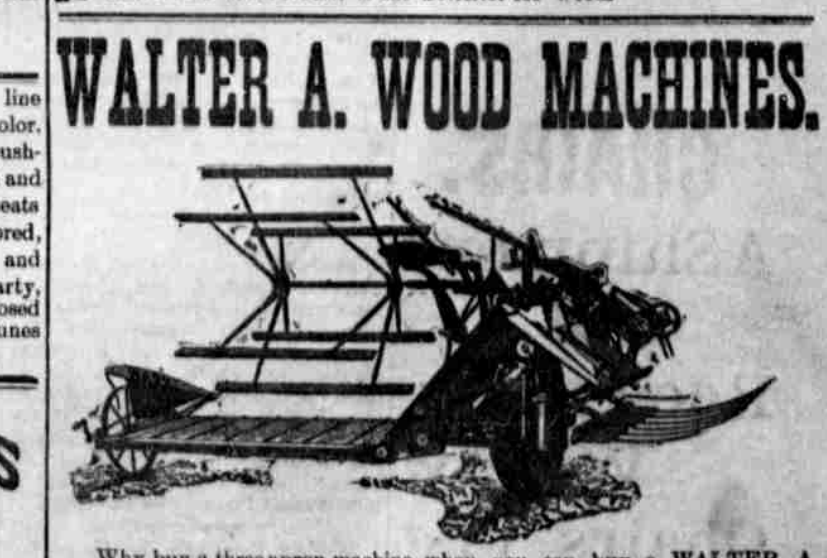
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